SO ORDERED.

SIGNED this 26 day of September, 2014.

Stephani A. Bunriskhouse
Stephani W. Humrickhouse
United States Bankruptcy Judge

## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA RALEIGH DIVISION

IN RE: CASE NO. 09-10340-8-SWH

NEW BERN RIVERFRONT DEVELOPMENT, LLC,

**DEBTOR** 

NEW BERN RIVERFRONT DEVELOPMENT, LLC,

Plaintiff,

10-00023-8-AP

ADVERSARY PROCEEDING NO.

v.

WEAVER COOKE CONSTRUCTION, LLC; TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA; J. DAVIS ARCHITECTS, PLLC; FLUHRER REED PA; and NATIONAL ERECTORS REBAR, INC. f/k/a NATIONAL REINFORCING SYSTEMS, INC., Defendants,

and

WEAVER COOKE CONSTRUCTION, LLC; and TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA,

Defendants, Counterclaimants, Crossclaimants and Third-Party Plaintiffs, J. DAVIS ARCHITECTS, PLLC, FLUHRER REED PA, SKYSAIL OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; NATIONAL REINFORCING SYSTEMS, INC., ROBERT P. ARMSTRONG, JR., ROBERT ARMSTRONG, JR., INC., SUMMIT DESIGN **GROUP, INC., CAROLINA CUSTOM** MOULDING, INC., CURENTON CONCRETE WORKS, INC., WILLIAM H. DAIL d/b/a DD COMPANY, EAST CAROLINA MASONRY, INC., GOURAS, INC., HAMLIN ROOFING SERVICES, INC., HUMPHREY **HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING, INC.;** PERFORMANCE FIRE PROTECTION, LLC; RANDOLPH STAIR AND RAIL COMPANY; STOCK BUILDING SUPPLY, LLC; PLF OF SANFORD, INC. f/d/b/a LEE WINDOW & DOOR COMPANY; UNITED FORMING, INC. a/d/b/a UNITED CONCRETE, INC.; JOHNSON'S MODERN ELECTRIC **COMPANY, INC.; and WATERPROOFING** SPECIALITIES, INC.,

Crossclaimants, Counterclaimants and Third-Party Defendants.

and

NATIONAL ERECTORS REBAR, INC.

Defendant, Counterclaimant, Crossclaimant and Third-Party Plaintiff,

v.

ROBERT P. ARMSTRONG, JR., ROBERT ARMSTRONG, JR., INC., SUMMIT DESIGN GROUP, INC., JMW CONCRETE CONTRACTORS, and JOHNSON'S MODERN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.

Third-Party Defendants.

and

J. DAVIS ARCHITECTS, PLLC, Third-Party Plaintiff,

v.

MCKIM & CREED, P.A., Third-Party Defendant.

and

GOURAS, INC.,
Third-Party Defendant and
Fourth-Party Plaintiff,

v.

RAFAEL HERNANDEZ, JR., CARLOS CHAVEZ d/b/a CHAVEZ DRYWALL, 5 BOYS, INC. and ALEX GARCIA d/b/a/ JC 5,

Fourth-Party Defendants.

and

STOCK BUILDING SUPPLY, LLC, Third-Party Defendant and Fourth-Party Plaintiff,

v.

CARLOS O. GARCIA, d/b/a/ C.N.N.C., Fourth-Party Defendant.

## ORDER ALLOWING CARLOS O. GARCIA'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Pending before the court is the motion for summary judgment filed by fourth-party defendant Carlos O. Garcia, d/b/a C.N.N.C. against Stock Building Supply, LLC ("Stock"), in its capacity as fourth-party plaintiff. The court previously entered orders allowing the motion for summary judgment filed by Stock, in its capacity as a third-party defendant, against third-party Weaver Cooke

Construction, LLC ("Weaver Cooke"), with respect to all claims asserted by Weaver Cooke against Stock.<sup>1</sup>

Each of the three claims asserted against Garcia in the third-party complaint – for equitable indemnity/contribution, for contractual indemnity, and for negligence – is derivative in nature and premised on a finding that Stock Supply is liable to Weaver Cooke. Because there are no remaining claims asserted by Weaver Cooke against Stock Supply, there is no presently viable basis for the claims set out in the fourth-party complaint against Garcia.<sup>2</sup>

On that ground, Garcia's motion for summary judgment is **ALLOWED**, subject to reconsideration, if necessitated by appeal.

SO ORDERED.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> An order granting Stock Supply summary judgment on Weaver Cooke's claims of negligence and breach of warranty was entered on June 10, 2014. An order granting Stock Supply summary judgment on Weaver Cooke's remaining claim of indemnity was entered on August 22, 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Weaver Cooke has appealed both orders granting summary judgment to Stock Supply, and the court will address the content of Garcia's motion if the ultimate disposition of that appeal so requires.